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MS PATENT APPLICATION Commissioner for Patents

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

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For: COPOLYMER HAVING REACTIVE SILICON-CONTAINING GROUP AND

ORGANIC-INORGANIC HYBRID POLYMERIC MATERIAL

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\boxtimes	A specification consisting of Forty-four (44) pages
\boxtimes	Eight (8) sheet(s) formal drawings
	Applicant claims small entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.27
	Applicant does not claim priority
	Applicant claims the right of priority under the provisions of 35 U.S.C. § 119 and 37 C.F.R. § 1.55(a) based on Application No(s). 2002-365499 filed in Japan on December 17, 2002. Certified copy(ies) is(are) attached hereto. Certified copy(ies) will follow.
\boxtimes	Executed Declaration (Original Photocopy)

\boxtimes	An assignment of the invention
	Application Data Sheet in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.76
\boxtimes	Preliminary Amendment
	Information Disclosure Statement, PTO-1449 and reference(s)
	Other:
	Applicant requests early publication - \$300.00 publication fee
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